इस्तेमाल कर लिए गए होते हैं लेकिन भारी मरम्मत/ओवरहाल करने के बाद इनका फिर इस्तेमाल किया जा सकता है । इन वाहनों को निपटान के लिए निर्धारित करने से पहले उनके टायर बैटरियां, ओजार, किट आदि, जिनका अन्य वाहनो में इस्तेमाल किया जा सकता है, निकाल लिए जाते है ।

2. सांसदो और विधायकों (महानगर परिषद् के सदस्यो सहित) को अपने निर्वाचन क्षेत्रो का दौरा करने के लिए रक्षा निपटान भंडार से, बिना निलामी के, पूर्व-निर्धारित कीमत पर वाहन मुहैया किए जाते हैं । सांसदो और विधायकों को बेचे जाने वाले वाहनों की कीमत, पिछले वर्ष के दौरान नीलामी पर की गई बिक्री की दर के औसत के आधार पर प्रत्येक वर्ष की पहली अप्रैल को निर्धारित की जाती है । इस प्रकार वर्ष 1990-91 के लिए सांसदों और विधायकों को आबंटित की गई जीपों की कीमत 20,905/- रुपए थी । वर्ष 1991-92 के लिए निर्धारित कीमत 23,980/- रुपए है ।

Industrial Production Affected by Import Curbs

368. **MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:**

(a) whether it is a fact that the industrial production in the first half of the current year has been adversely affected by the recent import curb imposed by the RBI;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether Government propose to reduce or remove those import curbs and if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI P. J. KURIEN): (a) and (b) According to the Index of Industrial Production compiled by CSO which is available upto March, 1991 the month-wise rates of industrial growth from January, 1991 onwards are as follows:

Period	Rate of Growth
January, 1991	4.3
February, 1991	6.3
March, 1991	7.2

The curbs on financing of imports were imposed by RBI with effect from 19th March, 1991. In the absence of availability of Index of Industrial Production from April, 1991 onwards, it is difficult to say that the curbs imposed by RBI have adversely affected industrial production.

Many manufacturing units have carried on production during the last quarter with the inventories of raw materials and components already available. With the depletion of inventories and with continuation of RBI curbs on financing of imports, the industrial production may get adversely affected.

(c) The Government is constantly reviewing the import curbs which have become inevitable due to the tight balance of payments possible and it is proposed to reduce and remove the curbs on imports as and when the balance of payment situation permits.

Assessment of Liabilities of Glaxo by the Special Team under Drug Prices Equalisation Account

369. **DR. RATNAKAR PANDEY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased** to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Special Team did not assess the liability of M|s. Glaxo under DPEA;

(b) if so, who decided the assessment of Rs. 37 crores towards this company and on what basis;

(c) whether it is a fact that the liability of Rs. 37 crores has been revised to 66.35 crores.

(d) if so, on what basis;

(e) whether it is also a fact that the liabilities have been further revised; and

(f) if so, what is the latest liability worked out and on what basis and when was it communicated to M|s. Glaxo?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI CHINTA MOHAN): (a) to (f) The original calculation of Rs. 37 crores made by the Department was based on the revised prices of the bulk drugs (Betamethasone and its salts) notified by the Government in January, 1989 on the recommendation of the Price Review Committee. On further review, however, the tentative liability of the company, for the period upto 25-8-87, both for bulk drugs and formulations has gone up to Rs. 71.78 crores. The company has filed a Writ Petition in the Delhi High Court and the matter is, therefore, sub-judice. The case has being contested by the Government.

Prices of Decontrol Medicines

370. DR. RATNAKAR PANDEY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that prices of decontrolled medicines have gone up by more than 200 per cent after the announcement of DPCO, 1987;

(b) what was the price of Actidil Tablets, Neurobion Injection, Trirediso1-H Injection, Pethidine Injection, Encephabol Tablets, Triperidol Tablets, Buscopan Injection and Narcaine Injection, before the announcement of DPCO, 1987 and what is the present price of each; and

(c) what steps have been taken by Government to bring the prices of finished medicines at a reasonable level?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI CHINTA MOHAN): (a) There has been some increase in the price of decontrolled medicines after the announcement of DPCO, 1987.

(b) Information has been given in the statement. (*See* Appendix 159, Annexure No. 15).

(c) Price fixation in controlled medicines is done after careful scrutiny. In decontrolled medicines also after Government is keeping a close watch and intervenes as and when any abnormal price increase is noticed. In a situation of rising costs of inputs consequential price rise in medicines is inevitable.

Sales Turnover of Ampicillin Trihydrate Formulations

371. SHRI MOHD. KHALEELUR RAHMAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to the answer to the Unstarred Question 218 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 25th February, 1991 and state:

(a) what is the sales turn over of Ampicillin Trihydrate formulations in the country per annum; and

(b) when the prices of formulations based on Ampicillin Trihdrate reduced and what is the amount consumer paid extra to the formulators due to negligence of the department?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI CHINTA MOHAN): (a) Sales turnover of formulations are not monitored.

(b) The reduced prices of formulations based on Ampicillin Triyydrate were fixed on 7-1-1991. The delay was not intentional.

Names of 12 Non-Schedule Formulations

372. SHRI MOHD. KHALEELUR RAHMAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to the answer to Starred Question 29 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 25th February, 1991 and state :

(a) what are the names of 12 non-scheduled formulations whose prices